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**SUBMITTAL OF SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION (II)
FOR REISSUE APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.175)
FOLLOWING AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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An AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 was filed via Express Mail
(37 CFR 1.10) on February 27, 2002.

The Office Action of November 27, 2001, page 4, sets forth
the following paragraph

"In accordance with 37 CFR 1.175(b)(1), a
supplemental reissue oath/declaration under 37 CFR
1.175(b)(1) must be received before this reissue
application can be allowed, should any additional
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In compliance with the foregoing, the executed SUPPLEMENTAL
DECLARATION (II) FOR REISSUE APPLICATION (37 CFR. 1.175) for

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The undersigned has been informed that the original USP 5,908,858 Letters Patent is being sent to him by courier. Assuming normal delivery time, the original USP 5,908,858 Letters Patent will be surrendered to the PTO later this week.

Respectfully submitted,



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SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION (II)
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We hereby declare that:

This Supplemental Declaration supplements the Reissue Declaration filed January 5, 2001 and the Supplemental Declaration filed October 18, 2001.

We claim priority benefits under 35 USC §119 of:

Japanese Patent Application No. 9-083562 filed April 5, 1996.

Every error in the patent which was corrected in the present reissue application, and which is not covered by said Reissue Declaration and said Supplemental Declaration submitted in this application, arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicants.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false

statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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